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First Named Inventor: Larry Routhenstein
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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action mailed September 22, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 9 of this paper and include a new sheet of drawing.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including a new drawing is attached at page 10 of this paper.



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